POWERS OF JUSTICES

BILL EXTENDING THEIR JURISDIC-TION ENGROSSED IN THE SENATE.

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The Executive Committee of the Society to Decide the Question.

exposition, most of which is entertained by wholesale merchants. Already about \$7,500 has been guaranteed by those who are eager for the "big show," and the amount offered for privileges reaches

nearly \$6,000. Whether or not this will be sufficient to whether or not this will be sufficient to warrant the society in proceeding with arrangements for the exposition remains to be seen. The matter will be thoroughly agitated at to-morrow's meeting and a decision reached by the Executive Committee. The retail merchants, or as many of them as have been spoken to on the subject by a Disparch man, are heartily in favor of the exposition and have sub-scribed very liberally to the guarantee

from the Henrico county jail again yesterday afterneon.

Martha broke out of the prison about a week
ago and was captured Sanday and turned over
to the Henrico authorities, who remanded her
to jail. Yesterday afterneon she again worked
the scheme. She was confined in a cell in the
second story, and after latoring a short while
succeeded in breaking a hole in the floor,
through which she dropped into the cell below,
which was not locked, and went out in the yard.
The prisoner them went to work on the walls,
and after a short while succeeded in breaking
through the same hole by which she escaped
before, though it had been repaired. Martha
inen lett for parts unknown.

Mr. J. D. Satterwhite, mechanical engineer at the Masonic Temple, met with a very severe injury resterday morning. In opening a valve he falled to take the necessary precautions and the ping few out and struck him on the side of the head. He was badly scalded on the breast and arm by the escaping steam. The city ambulance was called but before it had time to arrive Dr. Davis was summoned. The ambulance surgoon and Dr. Davis dressed the wound and the unfortunate man was taken in a carriage to his home at 701 north Twenty-first street.

Mr. Mitterauer, the electrician of the Temple assumed charge of the engine temperarily.

All the Baptist and Methodist ministers of the two cities have joined hands on the subject of funeral reform and will shortly have a special meeting to secure the cooperation of the ministers of all denominations. The great expense at present attending funerals has led to this movement. Grand-Captain W. G. Van Kunen and Grand-Captain's-Secretary Benjamin F. Perkins arrived here and paid an official visit to Progressive Harbor, No. 9, American Steamboat Pilots, last night.

Arrangements are on foot by the Irish societies of both cities to celebrate the approaching St. Patrick's Day with banquets, but no parades.

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Rev. Dr. W. S. Lacy left for Gulf, N. C., yesterday, to be with his wife, who is sick there. CONNOR-BROWN.

Mr. C. S. Connor and Miss Theo. Brown, daughter of Rev. E. P. Brown, were united in marriage by Rev. Dr. Barten at the residence of the bride, in Berkley, last night and left for Cincinnati. and left for Cincinnati.

The officers and representatives from this section to the Grand Lodge of the Knights of Pythias all left last night for Logicus.

Reesburg.

Rev. J. G. Hobday, superintendent of the Saptist Orphanage at Salem, is in the city in the interest of the orphanage, and will visit all the churches in this section, including Hampton and Suffolk, before returning home.

TWO DAMAGE SUITS.

Mississippi Students Want \$5,000 Each

from the N. & W. R. R.—Other Items.

[Correspondence of the Richmond Dispatch.]

PETERSBURG, VA., February 16.—In the Hustings Court to-day suits were entered against the Norfolk and Western Railroad Company by J. L. Meriwether and T. N.

Meriwether, for \$5,000 damages each, for a sleged ill treatment while travelling as passengers over the road. The two young gentlemen are citizens of Mississippi and had been students at a college in New York. In June last when leaving that city for home they purchased through tickets. On their wav from Norfolk to this city some difficulty occurred on the train which required the interference of the conductor. The complainants were arrested on the arrival of the train in this city on the charge by the railroad ompany of unruly conduct on the train and were arraigned in the Mayor's Court.

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A TEST CASE.

One of these cases—a test one—was heard to-day, Judge Isaac Christian, of Charles City county, presiding for Judge Christian, of Charles City county, presiding for Judge Christian of Charles City county, presiding for Judge Christians of the supreme Court. Judge Christian decided that the commissioner of the revenue had no authority to extend the levy so as to include this tax; that it had been erroneously assessed, and that the merchants should be exonerated from its payment.

Judge Smith, the new judge of this court, is popular with the people and the bar.

FUNERALS IN ALEXANDRIA.

NO JURISDICTION. No JURISDICTION.

The case was dismissed, however, on the ground that the trouble occurred at a point beyond the jurisdiction of the court. The complainants alleged that they were rudely and roughly treated by the conductor of the train, and therefore bring suit for damages, as above stated. They have engaged Messrs, Alexander Hamilton and W. R. McKenney as counsel. Mr. George S. Bernard will represent the railroad. The case will not be tried until the April term of the court.

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WASHINGTON'S RIETHDAY.

The councils of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics will have a prade in this city on Monday, 22d instant. At night a banquet will be given. On Sunday night next Rev. J. R. Tillery, pastor of Wesley Methodist Episcopal church, will deliver an address to the members of the organization, of which be in a ment. The burglars who have been operating this section for some time past visited

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Mr. R. H. Fife, ex-postmaster at the university, followed General Rosser.

The following committee was appointed
to take a petition to Washington and urge
the passage of the bill: General Thomas
L. Rosser, Senator James L. Gordon, Mayor
Samuel B. Woods, F. A. Massie, Daniel
Harmon, Jr., and R. H. Fife.

Messrs. Daniel Harmon, Jr., James
Blakey, M. Kaufman, G. R. B. Michie,
William H. Prout, James E. Gleason, R. H.
Fife, and F. A. Massie were appointed a
committee to secure signatures to the petition.

Mrs. Lizzie Miller Blackwell, of the Danville Female College, has been called to Charlottesville by the extreme illness of her uncle, Dr. R. B. Dice, who, it is feared, cannot live much longer.

Mrs. J. W. Coffin went to Alexandria yesterday to attend the funeral of her sister. Mrs. William Bruin.

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A movement is on foot to organize a cavalry troop in this county. About thirty persons have signified their intention to become members. Colonel Henry T. Wickham, of Hanover county, is at the head of the movement.

Judge R. T. W. Duke, Jr., will leave for New York to morrow. He expects to remain for about three weeks.

Mr. William R. Duke is confined to his home by illness.

GENERAL T. L. ROSSER FOR CONGRESS

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An Open Letter to Colonel C. T. O'Ferrall
Announcing His Candilacy.
[Correspondence of the Richmond Dispatch.]
CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., February 16.—It was mentioned in this correspondence last week that a rumor was affoat that General Thomas L. Rosser would be a candidate for Congress from this district, now represented by Colonel Charles T. O'Ferrall. That rumor has been confirmed, as will be seen by the following open letter addressed to Colonel O'Ferrall, which will appear in the Charlottesville Jefersonian on Wednesday morning.

CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., February 15, 1892.

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CHARLOTTERVILLE, VA., February 15, 1892.

Hen. Charles T. O'Ferrall, West sylon, B. C.:

Dear Colonel,—I shall be a candidate before
the next Courressional Democratic Convention
for a seat in Congress to succeed you, but I do
not think it altogether fair that I or anyone sies
should take steps in that direction without
giving you due notice. You were, I remember,
before the last State Gubernatzfal Convention
in Richmond with a congressional commission
in your pocket asking for the beamination for
Governor, and new your friends calm that you
are a candidate for no staction to Congress, or as
to make some of that, but after you are nately
sincied you will again to a manifelate for Governor.

BIG PROPERTY SALE.

THE SEABOARD COMPRESS COMPANY BOUGHT BY A NEW YORKER.

First Car-Load of "Red Saappers" Received from Florida—A Great Funneral-Reform Movement.

[Special telegram to the Dispatch.]

Norfolk, VA., February 16.—To-day the entire property of the Seaboard Compress Company, including the Exchange building, on Water street, Norfolk; the property in Portsmouth, the tugs, barges, rights, and privileges, were sold to Mayer.

Lehmany, of New York city, for \$146,800.

It is said the Newark is to be ordered here from Yorktown.

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A TAX ERRONEOUSLY ASSESSED.

ers Have No Right to Levy the Tax. [Correspondence of the Richmond Dispatch.] YORKTOWN, Va., February 15.—The County Court of this county has been in ses-

ty Court of this county has been in session to-day.

A very important question was before it, involving the right of the county to levy a tax upon the capital of a merchant employed in trade. The State requires a license in heu of this tax for "State purposes," and the statute allows the Board of Supervisors to levy a percentage on all property assessed by the State. At the suggestion of the late judge of this court some fifty merchants of the county were assessed upon their capital for county purposes, and to-day they applied to have exponeration from the payment of this tax as erroneous.

Burglars and Safe-Blowers Make a Water-

[Correspondence of the Richmond Dispatch.] ALEXANDRIA, Va., February 16.—The funeral of Thomas F. Nugent took place from St. Mary's church this morning, and was attended in a body by the Columbia and Relief Fire Companies and the Young Men's Lyceum. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Father Cutler, and the interment was in St. Mary's competery.

will deliver an address to the members of the organization, of which he is a member.

Miss May Rogers entertained the Monday-Night Musical Club last night, and among those who were present was Miss Florine Nolting, of Richmond.

MISDEMEANOR CASES.

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Colonel James's Course Approved.

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A PETITION FOR A POST-OFFICE.
Charlottesville's Citizens Will Send a Committee to Urge Her Claims.
[Correspondence of the Richmond Dispatch.]
Charlottesville. Va., February 16.—A most enthusiastic meeting, composed of the business-men of the city, was held at the court-house last night to take suntable action with reference to securing an appuropriation of \$50,000 to be used in the purpopriation of \$50,000 to be used in the rection of a post-office building at this place. A very large number of the business-men were present. Music was furnished by the Monticello brass band. Mayor Samuel B. Woods was made chairman. Mr. Daniel Harmon, Jr., made the first speech of the evening in which he set forth some of the claims of Charlottesville for such a building.

Senator James L. Gordon was called on. He did not expect to speak, was simply a "looker-on in Venice," but he desired to show by his presence his interest in the movement.

Commonwealth's-Attorney Frank Gilmer followed Mr. Gordon.

General Thomas L. Rosser was the next speaker. He lived in the county, but took a great interest in this matter. He had

Fell Dead on the Street. [Special telegram to the Dispatch.]



ONE ENJOYS

Both the method and results when Syrup of Figs is taken; it is pleasant and refreshing to the taste, and acts gently yet promptly on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels, cleanses the system effectually, dispels colds, head-aches and fevers and cures habitual constination. Syrup of Figs is the aches and fevers and cures habitual constipation. Syrup of Figs is the only remedy of its kind ever produced, pleasing to the taste and acceptable to the stomsch, prompt in its action and truly beneficial in its effects, prepared only from the most healthy and agreeable substances, its many excellent qualities commend it to all and have made it the most popular remedy known.

Syrup of Figs is for sale in 50c and \$1 bottles by all leading druggists. Any reliable druggist who may not have it on hand will procure it promptly fir any one who wishes to try it. Do not accept any unstitute.

CORPORATIONS. BILLS OF EXCHANGE AND LETTERS OF CREDIT sed on all the principal Cities of

and SOUTH AMERICA

HARMANUS PISHER & SON, BANKERS AND BROKERS,

Old "Uncie Bilty "Flowers Gens.
[Correspondence of the Richmond Dispatch.]

MERCHARY, Va., Pebrusry 18.—Mr. William Flowers, a very highly-respected and the oldest citizen of this vicinity, died on yesteday evening in the titth year of his age. Old "Uncie Billy (as was his familiar appellation) was a shormater by trade and continued taithfully to work at it until about eighteen roomts previous to his death. Wild was hastened by chronic MARKET QUOTATIONS REPORTS FROM ALL GREAT BUSINESS CENTRES OF THE WORLD

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obseco, Cotton, &r., and the

(By telegraph to the Dispatch.)

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

ns almost entirely in a few of the leaders.
A SLOW BUT STEADY DEFRESSION.

Northern Pacific Northern Pacific preferred.... Pacific Mail

BALTIMORE STOCK MARKET.

RICHMOND STOCK EXCHANGE. Tuesday, February 16, 1892. Sales.-100 Richmond city 8 per cents

Closing quotations at the Stock Board:
GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.

Bid.

North Carolina 4's.....

Virginia 6's. consols.
Virginia 5-4-5 10-40's.
Virginia 5-4-5 10-40's.
Virginia 7's. new, C. & R., 1932.
Virginia consol coupons, fundable.
Virginia consol coupons, non-tundable.

Virginia consol 10-40's.....

ables consol 10-40's ... 26
City Securities
Richmond city 6's ... 1123/4
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Richmond city 6's ... 1221/4
Richmond city 6's 1890-'98 ... 100
Richmond city 6's 1891 and later. 108
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RAILEOAD BONDS.
Atlanta and Charlotto 1st 7's ... 1129
A. & C. gruaranteed interest 6's ... 100
Char. Col. and Augusta 1st 7's ... 114/6
Char. Col. and Augusta 24 7's ... 114/6
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Col. and Augusta 6's ... 100
Georgia Pacific interest 6's ... 100
Georgia Pacific consolidated 5's ... 64
Georgia Pacific incomes ... 184/6
Petersburg Class 5 6's ... 1021/6
Petersburg Class 5 6's ... 1021/6
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Restern North Carolina 1st 5's, C,
guaranteed.
Western North Carolina 1st 6's, C,
1914.

ch., Fred'b'g and Potomac

State Bank of Virginia.......100 130
INSURANCE COMPANIES.
Virginia Fire and Marine......25 37½

RICHMOND TOBACCO MARKET.

[Reported for the Dipeatch.]
FEBRUARY 16.—Revenue collections to-day: Cigars and cigarettes, \$4,318.28; tobacco, \$3,047.28—total, \$7,365.56.
Private sales: Wrappers, 10; smokers, 5; darks, 4; cutters, 76; fillers, 28—total, 123 horsheads.

PAR.

...100 81

RAILBOAD STOCKS.

BANK STOCES.

Atlanta and Charlotte.

Sloss I. & S. consols.....

St. Paul preferred. Texas Pacific.....

Three Deaths to One Family in a Week. (Correspondence of the Richmond Dispatch.]

BRISTOL, TENN., February 15.—Mr. Robert Deery, of Binff City, one of the most eccentric men of all this section, died at his home yesterday. Last week Bob's brother and wife died. This makes the third death in a week.

Everybody is satisfied that no other house DOES—EVER DID—or EVER WILL—sell such STERLING QUALI-TIES at such LOW PRICES as WE

WE'RE DRIVING BARGAINS

A. SAKS & CO.

"FOUR-IN-HAND."

-and OVERCOATS.

\$14___\$14 OURTEEN DOLLARS.

-sold half of the "stint" we -et for the week. People know -how fine OUR FINE SUITS -and OVERCOATS are and ----points. They "look"----"feel"-and "fit" like just ----MILLED - MODELLED-and -----MADE SUITS THAT MONEY

- There are SINGLE- and ----DOUBLE-BREASTED SACKS -and THREE and FOUR-----BUTTON CUTAWAYS-and ----it is only to say which you'll

SATURDAY NIGHT -fore that. You've got no idea -caught the fever. Everybody

> - The \$8,50 SUIT and OVER----- "BROKEN LOT" SHOE ----SALE are keeping the \$14

----Suit Sale company. - "Birds of a feather flock ---together." ___ You can't help buying wisely

STOP IN AND SEE THEM.

FINANCIAL. MONEY TO LOAN. We have several sums of money ranging from \$1,000 to \$3,000 to loan on improved city real te 17-2t AN UNPARALLELED INVEST-

Invest your money where it will pay the largest dividends and draw the highest interest. Any sum from \$10 to \$10,000 invested in the stock of the SOUTHERN LAND AND SILK ASSOCIA-TION will pay not less than 12 per cent.
To the first reader of this advertisement who
buys \$1,000 worth of this stock we will give absolutely free a BRICK HOUSE in the city of Baltimore. Send for circulars. Address SOUTHERN LAND AND SILK

John L. Williams & Son BANKERS, RICHMOND, VIRGINIA.

harks, 6; hogsheads.

Lose sales' Shockoe sold to-day 9,200 pounds—highest price, \$10; Crenshaw sold to-day 28,700 pounds—highest price, \$12.25.

Prices were rather strong all around to-day. To-morrow there will be good planters' tobacco sales at soveral warshouses. BOUGHT AND SOLD. LOANS NEGOTIATED FOR GRAIN AND COTTON EXCHANGE. BICHMOND, February 16.—OFFERINGS—Wheat 65 bushels. Corn. 2,800 bushels. Oats, 1,400 bushels. Barley, 600 bushels. Beans, 14 bush

7.0072.—We quote: Pine, 63.75a84; superfine, 25a84.50; extra, 94.75; family, 65a85.25

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH. NEW YORK

wants becoming variable; elightly warmer by Wednesday night; warmer and fair Thursday and probably Friday.

For North Carolina Slightly warmer; mostly east winds; fair weather; warmer and fair Thursday and Friday. THE WEATHER IN RICHMOND YEATHRDAY was clear and pleasant. At midnight the skies were clear. NEW YORK February 16 .- The stock

ence of the extraordinary activity in the coal stocks leaves the field open to the others to come to the front, but as yet the trading re-

WHEAT.

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ST. LOUIS.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., February 16.—Flour firm but slow. Wheat—tash higher; No. 2 red, 924g. Options closed 1c. below resterday; May, 924g. Corn opened 4g. higher, dropped 4g. 4g. bid above better figures; No. 2 cash, 304g.; March, 5g. bid; May, 374g.305g. bid. Oats lower; No. 2 cash, 104g.; March, 5g. bid; May, 374g.305g. bid. Oats lower; No. 2 cash, 104g.; May, 314g. Whiskey steady at \$1.14. Bagging, 54g.74g. Iron cotton ties, \$1.30a81.25. Proceeding dull and easter. Pork, \$11.50a81.25. Proceeding dull and easter. Pork, \$11.50a81.25. Dry salt-meats does lots)—Shoulders, \$4.60; longs and ribs, \$5.56a81.5; boxed lots, 15c. more. Bacon—shoulders, \$5.50a85.55; longs, \$6.50; ribs, \$6.55a80.70; hams, 104g. ST. LOUIS.

WILMINGTON.

WILMINGTON, N. C., February 16,—Turpentine steady at 32c. Rosin firm; strained, \$1; good strained, \$1.05. Tar steady at \$1.30. Crude turpentine steady; hard, \$1; yellow-dip and virgue, \$1.90. NEW YORK COTTON PUTURES.

NEW YORK COPTON FOLIAGES

NEW YORK, February 16.—Cotton—Net recipits, 2,636 bales; gross receipts, 16,157 bale Futures closed steady, Saice, 96,100 bales; Ferrary, 96,81496,93; March, 86,85ag6,86; Apr 86,95ag6,96; May, \$7,05ag7,96; June, \$7,15,76; July, \$7,25ag7,26; August, 97,35,736; Soptember, \$7,45ag7,46; Octobe \$7,55ag7,56; November, \$7,65ag7,56.

ACKERLY.—Died, at the home of her son, H. S. Ackerly, No. 2106 east Broad street, at 4:50 P. M., February 15, 1822, Mrs. MARY J. ACKERLY, in the 74th year of

MARINE INTELLIGENCE. MINIATURE ALMANAC, FEBRUARY 17, 1892 Sun rises 6:58 | High Tipe Sun sets 5:50 | Morning 7:59 Moon rises 10:43 | Evening 8:07 PORT OF RICHMOND, PERRUARY 16, 1892.

Steamer Ariel, Dayo, Norfolk, merchandise and passengers; i. B. Tatum, vice-president Schooner John S. Beacham, Ginn, Rockland, lime, Warner Moore & Co. Schooner Sophia Godfrey, McCarty, Newport News, Curtis & Parker. SAILED.

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teamship Edith, Havra-teamship Valencia, New York. Ichooner H. B. Ogden, New York. PORT OF WEST POINT, PERSONNY 16, 1892.

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There is a display of New Boring Goods, such as you have not been ac-customed to seeing before March or April. Many new and Curious Fabrics.

usual price 98c.

White Table Linen 60c. a yard, the best usual value 8cc.

White Table Linen 75c., the best

white Table Linen \$1.12, the best usual value \$1.62; besides other grades.
All of these Linens are grass-bleached and direct shipments from the best makers in Ireland and Scotland.

been seen before. Priestley's

Mourning Fabrics.

this early in the season is a novelty. A a novelt. A special prices give special inducement to make up before more important things draw your attention. You will not likely buy these again at these prices. Many of the ef-

Apron Mulls—White, with Satin Stripe, double-tace, hemstitched, and a number of other designs, 39 to 44 inches wide, qualities that are worth 25 to 35c—our price will be 12je. a yard. White India Mulls, 37 inches wide, value 35c. a yard—our price, 17c. White India Mull, with hemstitch, printed in novel French designs or solid colors, in shades of light blue, pink, lavender, mauve, brown—prices 19c. a yard.

wide, 5c. a yard.

White Crepon, ported material with

and large checks. The usual best 8c, and 10c, quality for 5c, a yard, besides a great number of others.

Caldwell & Graham reads the name

69c. Silk and

Dress Fabrics Worsted in quantities and styles that would give prominence to the house in Paris itself. We want to be worthy your patronage.

HALF-SOLE AND HEEL-

PERSONAL.

THE PUBLIC IS WARNED NOT TO my account. JAMES M. BOOKER, JR., Lynchburg, Va.

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RICHMOND, VA.
Trade-Macks registered.
Opinions given. Patent-Office Gazette on his
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TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

A SPECIAL MEETING OF OLIVE A BRANCH LODGE. No. 1, ROTAL ARK MARINERS, will be held at St. Albans Ball, corner Third and Main streets. THIS (Wednesday) EVENING, February 17th, at 7:30 o'clock. Caudidates will please attend promptly. By order of the Supreme Ruler. fe 17-1t* B. B. JACOBS, Secretary.

MOZART ACADEMY OF MUSIC.

E. H. SOTHERN. PEBRUARY 18TH, 19TH, AND 20TH, brece nights and Saturday Matines.

The Highest Bidder AND

TWO SPLENDID COMEDIES.

MOZART ACADEMY OF MUSIC.

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Supplementary to an act entitled porate the Baltimore, Cincinnati salesy Company, approved March rovide a new charter for the Rosean and Safe Deposit Company of

OWERS OF JUSTICES

LEXTENDING THEIR JURISDICNON ENGROSSED IN THE SENATE,

Serr. Saunders and Williams Discuss
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Opposes the Kent Bill.

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a strong speech against the bill, and
the Blackstone, Little, and others
equally vigorous in championing ig.
the House both the debt bill and the
service of the services of the Debt Settlement and Mr. Pileber

On motion of Mr. McIlwaine, the bill was then passed by until next Thursday at noon.

ATTACK ON THE KENT BILL.

The Kent railroad commission bill again came up as a special order. Mr. Piloter, of Fauquier, one of the members of the Committee on Roads, who voted against the measure, opposed it in an exceedingly forcible speech. "As a member of the Roads Committee," said he, "I wish to say something in regard to the Kent bill, which we have been considering for two months. We have taken a great deal of evidence and heard a great deal of discussion on the floor of the House. As a member of the committee I have been waiting for some person to give a reason why such a bill as Mr. Kent schoold be enacted into a law by the people of Virginis—by this Logislature—and as yet, sirs, we have had no one before us that gave any cause why such a bill is the most wonderful production that has ever come from any man in the State of Virginia. I don't think you can find anything ever onacted by the people of Virginia that compares with this bill. I am glind to realize, sirs, that I know the gentleman from Wythe and have met him personally, because I don't think? I only know him through this bill, that I would have any proper conception or idea of what sort of a man be its. I think, sirs, "said the speaker, continuing, "that it is more wonderful than even nies Verne, in the wildest dreams of this imagination, or any other man who produces that which is unnatural to meet the demands of the magination, would have brought forth. Inconstencies! Absurdities!! he has asserted overning the railroad corporations of this late. Now, sirs, I expect in a word to answer me question. Mr. Withrow asked the same billing and said his interrogation had remained manswered, and that was the reason why he as for the bill; that nobody has been able to say what respect this moneare differs from the Code even in the onlore ment of the law and the means tenfored the law and the means tenfored the fill that he was the reason why he as for the bill; that no

lation of anything that is there enacted, those are piacou upon railroads and there natites for violating them, but this Kent less from the owner the control of properly first place; if puts it in the hands of three essencies, and then puts the elecution of enalty for violating their commands in sower. The principles of this bill applied itself law would mean that when a man theel an offence you would first hang him.

Adjourned at 2:55 P. M. WILL WE HAVE THE EXPOSITION?

The Executive Committee of the Virginia Agricultural and Mechanical Society will meet in the office of Colonel A. S. Buford to-morrow at noon to decide whether or not an exposition will be held next fall, and as far as possible fix the date for the show to be given. It appears that there is some doubt as to the advisability of holding an exposition, most of which is entertained

Richmond: O. T. Gilliam's trustee to Sager Jones, 29 feet on south side of Catherine street between Munford and Gilmer, \$735; Julia G. and Thomas J. Moore to Thomas Potts, 50 feet on west side Eleventh street between Canal and Byrd. \$1,200; W. S. Peyton and wife to S. W. Robanson, 23 feet on west side First hear Orange, \$300.

Henrico: John W. Clarke and wife to Mary A. Clark, 28 feet on south side of Boverly street near Handolph, \$500; Highland Park Company to C. O. Deak, let 57n square 3, \$200; Highland Park Company to C. B. DeCamp, let 12 in square 28, \$200; Patrick Shaughnessy and wife to Catherine Boyle, 24 feet on north side Kemper erteet near Handolph, \$775.

Scalded at the Masonie Temple.

Cases Set for Trial.

In the Hustings Court yesterday the only business transacted was the setting of a number of new cases for trial. That of R. A. Davis, charged with the murder of Junius Dickerson, was fixed for hearing on February 24th. The case of Benjamin Jacobs, accused receiving sicien goods, will be heard on March 15th, and that of Henry Berkle, charged with bigamy, will be heard March 21st. John W. Johnson, who stands charged with felonious shooting, will be tried to-day.

election to fill the vacancy of a set.

There are many Democrats in the district capable of making efficient representatives, and there appears to us no necessity for nominating one whose purpose is to resign the seat if he can get the nomination for Governor, which he is seeking. Very respectfully you're, THOMAAS L. ROSSER.

Judge Christian Decides the Commission

hant at Fairfax Courthouse.

(Special telegram to the Diplaces)
FARMVILE, VA., February 16.—George
Dallis (colored), aged about 45 years, fell
dead on the street here this evening. He was
on his way to the warehouse where he had just
sold his crop of tobacco, when he fell heavily
upon his face, expiring before his body struck
the earth. He was just over a severe spell of
the grip.

all picked over. ___ The sale will only last until

AREN'T YOU?

We Side With the People.

HIGH GRADE INVESTMENT BONDS MUNICIPAL AND RAILROAD

for Monoy, Bonds, Stocks, Grain, Washingrow, D. C., February 16.— Forecast for Virginia for twenty-four hours—from midnight to mid-night: Clear weather; winds be-

steam, \$6.80 hd; city, \$6.45a86.50; February, \$6.80; May, \$6.98. Proights teadler with fair demand—axton, 1-8d.; grain, 234d.

CHICAGO.

The wheat exity has a part of the session was decidedly builties, and prove was a land so to compared with yesterday at not store. The movement was largely in the way of realising, the late advance showing a tamping profit. The selling pressure quickly become too heavy to be resisted. and prices turned downward. Many stubborn longs saw their profits steadily slipping away from them, and finally thought it prudent to go with the current, and joined the caravan of sellors. Before noon May had fallen to 913¢c, and held around 92c, for some time. During the last hour the market was unsettled. May sold up to 924¢c, but then became heavy, and fell to 914¢c, closing weak at 914¢c, against 924¢c, at the close yesterday. Corn was duil and weak almost from the start on account of heavy receipts and continued improvement in the grading. The local speculative trade was such, hay opened at 42c., which was the closing price yesterday, and that proved the top figure of the day. It broke steadily at 413¢c, the first one time around 415¢a 415¢c, the first one time around 415¢a 415¢c, the first one content of the say and closed steady at 413¢c. Onts were quiet and ensy and closed with a lose of 4¢c. Beg products to decline quite sharpy. There was a recovery before tax close, but last prices show a leas of 15c. on pork and 75¢c. on lard and 17bc.

The ensh quotations were as follows: Flour firm and unchanged. No. 2 sorn, 40c. No. 2 cats, 23c.95¢c.

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A SLOW BUT STRADY DEFURSION.

The few stocks which displayed strength in the early dealings, including Atchison and St. Paul, met a pressure of stock for sale that forced them off with the rest of the list, and the entire day saw a slow but steady depression in values, which, while making few wide fluctuations, gave the whole list a weak temper, so that the losses are very uniform this evening. Distillers, as it has been weak in the face of a strong market for the last week, changed front to-day and became the one strong point in the list, for no apparent reason, and its rise is attributed to manipulation pure and simple. The bears raided Chicago (fas down in the afternoon, when the rest of the market gave indications of halting in the downward movement, and the weakness induced spread to the general list in the last hour, with the effect of producing further liquidations and the lowest prices of the day were reached toward the close of business. No impression was made upon the other Industrials, however, and Cordage, despite the reports of new competition, advanced materially, keeping pace with Pistiliers.

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The Richmond and West Point stocks were the weak features in the forencen, the reports of the provisions of the reorganization plans put out being regarded as unfavorable to the stock, and while the bonds were strong, the stocks full away rapidly, the common dropping 1%, and the preferred 3%, a portion of which was atterwards recovered. St. Paul and Union Pacific were paid apecial attention to, the latter being subjected to heavy bear pressure, and it scored one of the most important declines of the day. The pressure was removed in the last few minutes, when prices ralled, and while the tene of the dealings at the close was firm, prices were at close to the lowest of the day. The losses included Jersey Central, 25%; Chicago Gus, 15%; Reading and Union Pacific, each 15%, and Northern Pacific preferred 1 per cent., while Distiller's is up 3%. Sales—Listed stocks, 485,000 shares; unhated, 3,000 Econing.—Exchange outet and stoady at 4864/a 48%. Commercial bills. 485a4873. Money easy at 19a3; closing offered at 2. Sub-frea-sury balances—Coin. \$115,256,000; currency, \$15.354,000. Governments dull but steely; 4 per cents, 1169. State bonds neglected.

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CINCINNATI.
CINCINNATI. February 18.—Flour unchanged. Whost nominal; No. 2 red, 94c. Corn firmer; No. 2 mixed, 40.409c. Oats barely steady; No. 2 mixed, 318,4324c. Pork weaker at \$11.75.
Lard quiet at \$6.40. Bulk-meats quiet at \$6.874. Whiskey steady at \$1.14.
Wilmington.

Caldwell & Graham reads the name printed on these English. But the firm had failed be fore the goods were landed, 5c. instead of the usual 3 papers for 25c.
New styles in Double Edge.
48c. a yard Single-Width
Embroidered Edge, 15 and 25c.; Silk Feather Trimming, perfectly full, 25 to 69c.

Baltimore. February 16.—Virginia consols, 3's, 79-48724; Baltimore and Ohio stock, 954-4054; Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern 1sts, 103a1034; do. 1st incomes 74 bld; do. 2d incomes, 33 asred; do. 3d incomes, 94-410; consolidated gas bonds, 113 bld; do. stocks, 4734445. NORFOLK PEANUT MARKET. [Reported for the Dispatch.]
FERRUARY 16.—Market firm. Sales reported at 3%a334c. Prime, 3c.; extra prime, 3%c. fancy, 34c; factory hand-picked, 3%a434c.

MARY J. ACKERLLY, in the 74th year of her age.

Funeral from the above residence at 3:30 P. M. on WEDNESDAY, 17th instant. The friends and acquaintances of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

Lynchburg News and Lexington Gazette will please copy.

CAUTHORN.—Died, February 14, 1892, at 4:45 o'clock P. M., at his residence, No. 863 Brook avenue, WHLIAM RUFUS CAUTHORN: aged 80 years.

He leaves four children to mourn their loss, "May he rest in peace."

The funeral will take place from the above residence at 10 o'clock WEDNESDAY MORNING, Friends and acquaintances respectfully invited to attend without further notice. Interment in the family havying-ground at Glen Allen, Va.

Louisville (Kv.) and Cincinnati (Ohio) papers please copy.

PAGE.—Died, Monday, February 8th.

PAGE.—Died, Monday, February 8th, at 6 o'clock P. M. at the residence of his son, James E. Page, EDMUND G. PAGE; aged 87 years.

He was born near Big Island, Va., and has there lived a quiet, peaceable life with all men. He leaves eight children and many grandchildren, with many friends, to mourn their loss.

[By tolograph.]
ARRIVED.

OR CITY SERGRANE

Wet Linens A great storm and shifting cargo has run quite a stock of flue Irish and Scotch Linens in price favor. The following goods were bought and will be sold subject to being wet. To the customer they are as good as when first started from over the ocean.

Turkey-Red Table-Cloth 59c., our named price 98c.

Damask and Huck Towels 25c., usual price 35 to 45c. Huck Towels for 10 and 124c;

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11-yard-long Huck Towels for 16tc.
All-Linen Doylies for 35c.
A dozen White- or Colored-Bordered
Linen Table Napkins for 75c.; \$1.38
and \$2 a dozen, such value as has not

The new Spring Fabrics are in—quite a number of novel designs besides the usual always-desirable ones.

The sale of

fects are entirely new. Among these are a number of Fast Black Goods that must be looked for in another depart-Apron Mulis-White, with Satin

yard.
India Linens—qualities that usually sell for 8c. for 5c. a yard; American Cords in clear, sheer quality, 254 inches

Stripes. The price for this sale will be 124c. a yard. Book Fold Checked Muslin in small

11 to 17 EAST BROAD STREET.

SHOES

RICHMOND, VA., February 4, 1882.

NOTICE.— THE UNDERSIGNED, having qualified as administrator of ISAAO S. TOWER, deceased, hereby notifies all persons having claims against his estate to precent them to me at his late place of business, No. 1528 east Main street. Richmond, Va., to be listed for settlement, according to law.

And all persons having claims against ISAAO S. TOWER, AGENT OF CHARLES E. HUNTER, are requested to present them at the same place, in order that they may be audited and if found correct may be paid with as little delay as practicable.

CHARLES E. HUNTER, in his own right and as administrator of L S. Tower, deceased.

CONCERT BY THE RICHMOND
CHARLES BY THE RICHMOND
CHURCH lecture-room, THURSDAY, February
18th, 8 o'dlock P. M. Admission, 15 cents.
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LORD CHUMLEY.

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